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6. Great George Street.
Westminster, S.W.
13th Sepr. 1884.

Dr. Koch
Paris
Monsieur

I trust you will excuse my writing to you without an introduction, but in view of the ravages that the Cholera is now making, I cannot refrain from calling your attention to the fact (which you can get confirmed by any Gas Engineer of experience) that men engaged in Gas Works are not as a rule attacked by Cholera, and I therefore propose to keep up a slight smell of Creosote or Jar in every house as a preventive.

Creosote is very cheap and it could be tried instantly without the least difficulty, I therefore name it to you in the hope of saving lives.

Creosote is now being sent to Russia in case of Cholera appearing there.

I am your obdt. Servt.
E.A. Cowper

6. Great George Street.

Westminster, S.W.

13th Sept 1884.

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J Cooper.

